

## Homework-9 (French !!)

7.2.  $y = 0.3 \sin \pi(0.5x - 50t)$

(a) Amplitude =  $0.3 \text{ cm} = 0.003 \text{ m}$ .

wavelength =  $2\pi/k = 2\pi/0.5\pi = 4 \text{ cm}$ .

wavenumber ( $k$ ) =  $0.5\pi \text{ cm}^{-1}$

frequency ( $f$ ) =  $\omega/2\pi = 50\pi/2\pi = 25 \text{ Hz}$ .

period ( $T$ ) =  $1/f = 0.04 \text{ sec.}$

velocity =  $v_f = (4 \times 25) \text{ cm/s} = 100 \text{ cm/s} = 1 \text{ m/s}$ .

(b)  $\frac{\partial y}{\partial t} = (0.3)(-50\pi) \cos \pi(0.5x - 50t)$

$\therefore \left. \frac{\partial y}{\partial t} \right|_{\text{max}} = (15\pi) \text{ cm/s}$

7.3.  $y = A \sin(kx - \omega t)$

$A = 0.003 \text{ m.}$

$$\omega = 2\pi f = (10\pi) \text{ s}^{-1} \quad \therefore f = 5 \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$k = 2\pi/\lambda = 2\pi/v_f \quad (\because \lambda = v_f)$$

$$\therefore 2\pi f/v = \omega/v = \frac{10\pi}{3000} = \pi/300$$

$$\therefore y(x,t) = 0.003 \sin\left(\frac{\pi}{300}x + 10\pi t\right)$$

because it's moving negative x direction

7.5.

(a)

$$v = \sqrt{T/\mu}$$

$$= \sqrt{50/0.1} \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

$$= 10\sqrt{5} \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

(b)

$$v = \lambda f$$

$$\therefore \lambda = v/f = vT$$

$$= 10\sqrt{5} \times 0.1 \text{ m.}$$

$$= \sqrt{5} \text{ m.}$$

(c) amplitude = 0.02 m.

$$@ t=0, \quad y(x,t=0) = 0.02 \sin(\kappa x + \varphi)$$

$$0.01 = y(0,0) = 0.02 \sin \varphi$$

$$\therefore \sin \varphi = \frac{1}{2} \Rightarrow \varphi = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

Now,  $\kappa = \frac{2\pi}{\lambda}$   
 $\omega = \frac{2\pi}{T}$

$$\therefore y(x,t) = 0.02 \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{\sqrt{5}} x - \frac{2\pi}{0.1} t + \frac{\pi}{6}\right)$$

negative sign makes sure  $\frac{\partial y}{\partial t}$  negative !!

had it been the case  $\varphi = 5\pi/6$ , since  $\varphi$  would still be  $1/2$  but to keep  $\frac{\partial y}{\partial t}(0,0)$  negative, we would have to choose left going wave, which is not the case given in question

Hence,  $y(x,t) = 0.02 \sin \pi \left( \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}x - 20t + \frac{1}{3} \right)$  (Answer)

7.6. time taken for the wave to travel from one end to the other

(a)  $t = \left(\frac{l}{v}\right)$  where  $l$  is length of the string  
 $v$  is the velocity.

$$\text{And } v = \sqrt{T/\mu} = \sqrt{\frac{Tl}{m}}$$

$$= \sqrt{g} \sqrt{\frac{Tl}{mg}}$$

$$\text{it's given } \left(\frac{T}{mg}\right) = 100$$

$$v = \sqrt{gl} \sqrt{100} = 10\sqrt{gl}$$

$$\therefore t = \frac{l}{v} = \frac{1}{10} \sqrt{\frac{l}{g}}$$

$$\therefore \sqrt{\frac{l}{g}} = 10t = 10 \times 0.1 \text{ s} = 1 \text{ s.}$$

$$\therefore l = 9.8 \text{ m.} \quad \text{(Answer)}$$

(b) 3rd normal mode,  $\Rightarrow 3\lambda/2 = 9.8 \Rightarrow \lambda = 6.53 \text{ m.}$

$$\therefore k = 2\pi/\lambda = 0.96 \text{ m}^{-1}$$

$$\text{And } \omega = kv = 0.96 \times \frac{l}{t} = 0.96 \times 9.8/0.1 \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$3\text{rd normal mode (standing wave)} = 94.08 \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$\therefore y(x,t) = A \sin(0.96x) \cos(94.08t) \checkmark$$

$$7.7. \quad y(x, t) = 0.02 \sin \pi(x - vt)$$

same T & same  $\mu$

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same  $v$

$$\therefore v = 98 \text{ ms}^{-1}$$

$$\therefore y(x, t) = 0.02 \sin(\pi x - 98\pi t)$$

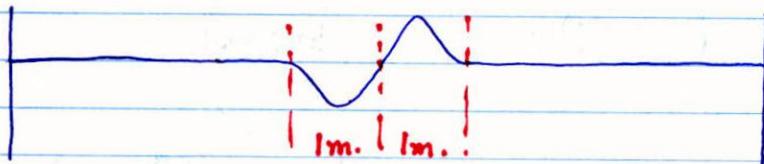
$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial t}(x, t) = -1.96 \pi \cos \pi(x - 98t).$$

$$\therefore y(5, 0.1) = 0.02 \sin \pi(5 - 9.8) = -0.012 \text{ m}$$

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial t}(5, 0.1) = -1.96 \pi \cos \pi(5 - 9.8) = 4.98 \text{ ms}^{-1}.$$

7.12.

(a)



velocity profile

(b)

the pulse moving forward by distance 1 m.  
means the particle on the string moves up  
by 0.1 m.

approximate velocity would be 0.1 m  
divided by the time it takes for the pulse  
to move ahead by 1 m.

$$\text{the time} = \frac{1 \text{ m.}}{40 \text{ m/s}} = 0.025 \text{ s.}$$

∴ average velocity of the particle

$$= \frac{0.1}{0.025} \text{ ms}^{-1} = 4 \text{ ms}^{-1}.$$

c)  $v = \sqrt{\tau \mu} \Rightarrow T = \mu v^2$

$$= \left(\frac{2}{100}\right) v^2 \quad (2 \text{ kg in } 100 \text{ m.})$$

$$\therefore \mu = \frac{2}{100} \text{ kg/m}$$

$$= \frac{2}{100} \times 1600 \text{ N}$$

$$= 32 \text{ N (Answer)}$$

d) velocity remains same  $\Rightarrow v = 40 \text{ ms}^{-1}$

$$\lambda = 5 \text{ m.} \quad k = 2\pi/5 = 0.4\pi$$

$$f = v/\lambda = 8 \text{ s}^{-1}, \quad \omega = 2\pi f = 16\pi \text{ s}^{-1}$$

$$y(x, t) = 0.2 \sin \pi(0.4x + 16t).$$

$$7.17. \textcircled{a} \quad y_1 + y_2 = A \left[ \sin(5x - 10t) + \sin(4x - 9t) \right]$$

$$= 2A \sin\left(\frac{9x - 19t}{2}\right) \cos\left(\frac{x - t}{2}\right).$$

- \textcircled{b} The envelope has a lower frequency  
 $\omega = \frac{1}{2}$ ,  $k = \frac{1}{2}$  [coming from cos term]  
 $\therefore$  group velocity =  $\omega/k = 1 \text{ ms}^{-1}$ .

- \textcircled{c} distance between points of zero amplitude  
is determined by the  $\sin\left(\frac{9x - 19t}{2}\right)$  part

$$\text{distance} = \frac{\pi}{9/2} = \left(2\pi/9\right).$$

[If we've  $\sin(kx - \omega t)$  form, then  $\lambda = 2\pi/k$ ,

here  $k = 9/2$ , distance between zero amplitude  
 $(\lambda/2) = \pi/k$ ].